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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of Yukitoshi HIROSE

MEMORY SYSTEM AND CONTROL METHOD THEREFOR

Assignee: ELPIDA MEMORY, INC

Our Ref. Q78699

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 43 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and 19 sheets of drawings. Copies of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) with references and Preliminary Amendment.

The Government filing fee, after entry of the Preliminary Amendment is calculated as follows:

Total claims	38 - 20	=	18	X	\$18.00 =	\$324.00
Independent claims	6 - 3	=	3	X	\$86.00 =	\$258.00
Base Fee		_				\$770.00

TOTAL FEE \$1352.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1352.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Japan

2002-349867

December 2, 2002

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

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